

Iron County Register

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Ironton, Missouri.
THURSDAY, JUNE 3, 1920.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Recital Friday evening.
Smallpox is reported in De Soto.
Guess there'll be no oil on the streets this year.

The bank statements are published this week.

"Ye Olde Tyme Hand Woven Rag Rugs." June 3d.

The County Assessor will soon be paying you a call.

Dr. Zimmer, dentist, has a professional card in the REGISTER.

The watermelon crop in Southeast Missouri is said to be promising.

The fishermen are hardly so numerous as they were a few weeks since.

The south-bound passenger trains were late Sunday because of the wreck of a freight at Blackwell.

The best investment on earth is the earth itself. Buy some lots in Fort Hill Park at the Big Auction Sale Saturday, June 12th, at 1 P. M.—Adv.

Quite a bunch of men are at work on Fort Hill getting the property in shape for the proposed lot sale.

Lopez's will inaugurate a Big Money Saving Sale for two weeks—beginning next Saturday. See Special Ad.

G. C. Kneemacher of Clover Valley Farm has leased his place to J. M. Hawkins with privilege of purchasing.

The garden truck is sure all might late this season. Onions, lettuce and radishes have been all so far this season.

We are pleased to learn that Mrs. Marian Eckart, who has been very sick at her home in Franklins, is much better now.

The 4th of July this year comes on Sunday. So if you want to have a picnic or celebration you will have to give it Saturday or Monday.

It is intimated that one of the Ironton High School young lady teachers will not seek re-employment this year. Everybody wants to know why.

J. Lee Reddick and Dwight C. Anderson have leased the property and taken over the management of the Iron County Realty & Abstract Co.

To Mr. Sampson, caretaker at Morningthorpe Farm, we are indebted for two boxes of very fine strawberries presented to us last Thursday.

Farm Wanted—Wanted to hear from owner of farm or good land for sale. Send price and description. Fall delivery. L. Jones, Box 551, Olney, Ill.

The strawberries, generally speaking, are not so good as they usually are. Whether it can be charged to the rain or the cold weather we can not say.

The announcement column is unavoidably crowded out this week. We ask the indulgence of our friends, the candidates, and assure them it will not occur again.

Quite an audience witnessed the ball game between Pilot Knob and Bismarck at Pilot Knob Sunday afternoon. The home team won by a score of 4 to 1.

From the St. Louis papers it is learned that a marriage license was issued last Saturday to Edgar C. Rahlegh of St. Louis and Mabel W. Collins of Ironton.

The lot sale at Graniteville last Saturday was not the success its promoters had anticipated. Still quite a few of the lots were disposed of, with good prospects for future sales.

Mrs. P. R. Hawkins and children and Mrs. E. K. Davis of Fairview, Okla., arrived here Sunday and spent until today with their sister, Mrs. John Reagan.—Bismarck Gazette.

For Sale—One J. I. Case Thrashing Machine; separator 54x32 inches; 15-horse power Traction Engine. Good condition. For price and terms see G. C. McCALLUM, Roselle, Mo.

Train No. 17 unloaded a big bunch of valley visitors Saturday night. To one who is not informed in regard thereto the volume of travel to and from the Ironton station is amazing.

A number of Epworth Leaguers from the Valley journeyed to Flat River last Thursday afternoon to attend a convention there. They returned about midnight and report an enjoyable occasion.

E. R. Adams, principal of the De Soto High School, left Wednesday for his home in Iron county, where he will spend a month. He will return to this city next September for the school term.—De Soto Press.

We have been informed that the water in Black River has changed its course and that the steel bridge does not now span that river. The water has found a way around it. Better sell it to the "junk dealer."—Center-ville Outlook.

J. A. Townsend, who lives a mile south of Bellevue, was quite badly damaged by the severe wind storm that visited that section the night of May 12th. Several outbuildings were blown down and many of the trees in his orchard uprooted.

As has been her custom for a number of years past Mrs. M. B. Bradley last week presented us with some most delicious strawberries. When it comes to growing strawberries, and the very best kind, too, Mrs. Bradley seems to know just how.

A letter from Mrs. Minor advises us that she and our old friend, Dr. R. T. Minor, who has been sojourning in Charlottesville, Virginia, for several months past for the benefit of the Dr.'s health, left there for Missouri last Monday and expect to get back to Leeterville within the week. We are pleased to state that the Dr.'s condition is somewhat improved. We certainly hope that the favorable reports will continue.

In giving names of those from this community attending the recent Southern Baptist Convention in Washington, D. C., we failed to mention Rev. J. H. Calvert who was one of the party. Mr. Calvert reports the occasion as instructive and enjoyable.

People who are complaining at the action of the county court in selling the road bonds are asked to state where the bonds can be disposed of more advantageously. Recent inquiries at financial centers confirm the opinion that our court made a most excellent deal.

Are you a booster? Do you want the Big Auction Sale at beautiful Fort Hill Park Lots to be a success? It's up to you, Mr. Citizen of the Arcadia Valley. Be sure to attend the Big Auction Sale and in the mean time tell your friends to come and to tell their friends to come.—Adv.

Elias Nichols went to St. Louis last Thursday to drive the motor hearse recently purchased by H. L. Rieke to Ironton. He got as far as De Soto that evening but could come no farther on account of high water and left the hearse there a couple of days until the creeks were fordable again.

O. C. Mathews writes the editor that Mrs. Harriet E. Mathews died suddenly May 14th, 1920, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Annie Balknap, Hicksville, Ohio, at the age of 81 years. The deceased was for many years a resident of Bellevue in this county and was well known by many of our people.

Attorneys Henry and R. H. Davis were in the courts of Poplar Bluff last week and we understand won a judgment of over \$20,000 for one of their clients of Scott county. The suit was over damages caused by the drainage authorities and has been in the courts for five years.—Fredericktown Democrat-News.

Messrs. Graham and Murry of the state Highway Department are expected in the County in a few days to make some arrangements with the Court as to the construction of some bridges in the County. The people of the County want some up-to-date bridges, some that will serve the traveling public at all times.—Center-ville Outlook.

Elvins correspondence in Flat River News: "J. G. Newman spent Saturday night in Ironton visiting relatives. He returned Sunday bringing back Mrs. Newman and their two sons, Paul and Jim, Jr., who had been visiting Mrs. Newman's mother, Mrs. Emma Yount. Mrs. Newman had spent two or three days in Cape Girardeau before going to Ironton."

Geo. D. Marks, a resident of Ironton for many years but who has been making his home in Moberly, Mo., for the past thirteen years, was a visitor here last week. He is employed in the railroad shops of the Washab at that place and likes his surroundings very much. Mr. Marks left here Monday to spend a day or two in Farmington before returning home.

Some of my neighbors have grown into the habit of picketing their cows so that they may pasture on the grass adjoining the residences of the owners. Consequently the sidewalks are frequently decorated in a way not pleasing to the pedestrian. He has to pick his way carefully and of a clouded, moonless night if he escapes with uncontaminated footwear he is lucky indeed.

Elvins correspondence in Flat River News: "Fred Kindell and Chas. Newman of Ironton came here Friday on business. Mr. Kindell returned home the same day but Mr. Newman who is a sign painter remained in the Lead Belt for a couple of days. He painted a sign for the Miners' and Merchants' Bank in Flat River. He has followed this trade for a number of years, and does splendid work."

The editor regrets exceedingly his inability to attend the Expression Recital of Miss Agnes Mackey and Miss Milly Gay Schults in the Arcadia College Auditorium Sunday evening. We had made all arrangements to attend but the weather was too threatening. Those who were so fortunate as to be present speak in highest terms of the entertainment and are loud in praise thereof.

Cecil Aldridge, who drove C. J. Newman's run-about to St. Louis and back last week, was four days returning from St. Louis. Coming down one of the big hills beyond De Soto the brake broke, or refused to work, and he traveled at great speed for a while. This necessitated a trip to a garage at Kimmewick, where, after much delay, he got started again. At De Soto, also, he was stopped some time for repairs.

From the Piedmont Journal Banner: "Miss Bernice Bramhall, of Ironton, is employed to teach the Primary grade. She is a graduate of Ironton high school, having completed the teachers' training course, and has a first-grade certificate. She taught in the Bellevue schools last year and was offered a room there this year but declined, to take the Piedmont position. She is highly recommended by Superintendent Hanson of Iron county."

Mrs. A. I. Willard left to-day (Wednesday) for Portland, Oregon, to visit her daughter, Mrs. H. W. Bonham. On Monday evening, before her departure, a bevy of her neighbors, laden with a goodly supply of the creature comforts, invaded her home and genuinely surprised herself and husband. After partaking of the many good things and a fine social time, the company dispersed, wishing Mrs. Willard a pleasant journey and visit, and a safe return.

Recorder Hawkins has issued the following marriage licenses since our last report:

Fred Leroy Schubkeffel and Lillian Mary Bell of St. Louis.

Edward Ryan and Margaretha Mavis of St. Louis.

Wm. E. Seal and Bertha Jackson of Brunt.

Richard A. Young and Zola Elsie Parton of Middlebrook.

Kelley Lee Nash and Zella Jaycox of Bellevue.

The Register is authorized to announce C. A. Thompson as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for assessor of Iron County. Mr. Thompson has lived practically all of his life in the west end of Iron County and is

well known to the people in that section. He is an estimable man and citizen and well worthy any confidence that may be placed in him. His claims will doubtless receive due consideration from the voters when they go to the polls in August.

Just as we are closing the forms we are authorized to announce Redmond Black as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Representative for Iron County. Also S. A. Trask as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Associate Judge of the County Court for the Western District of Iron County. Likewise Wm. Sutton asks to be announced as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Associate Judge for the Southern District of Iron county. Further reference to these candidacies next week.

The heavy rain that visited this section two weeks ago seems to have been even heavier in Washington County. The following is from the Potosi Journal: "There was a rain-storm in this section about midnight last Wednesday that was a cloudburst for amount of water it let loose in a short time. The creek through town was up four or five feet, higher than it had been for quite a number of years, and there was a good deal of washing out of the streets. The openings under the bridge east of town could not let all the water through and it backed up and ran over the embankment. The streams throughout the county went over their banks and did much damage in the bottoms."

Is This Rickenbacker?

Is the part of the hero in "The Heart of Humanity," colossal drama of the high lights of humanity in the war, intended to be a replica of the career of Eddie Rickenbacker, the intrepid ace?

Many persons who have seen the picture believe it is, and that William Stowell, Dorothy Phillips' leading man, who plays the part, is made up to look like the famous race driver and credited with victories in the air, which Captain Rickenbacker attained. Stowell plays the part of a Canadian aviator, but this is considered by those who claim he portrays Rickenbacker to be mere camouflage on the part of Director Holubar.

"The Heart of Humanity" will open at the Academy Theatre, Thursday, June 3. Dorothy Phillips in the leading role.—Adv.

PERSONAL.

C. J. Newman is in Bertrand this week.

Harry Joe Jones is home from St. Louis.

J. W. Clarkson returned to Louisiana Sunday.

Kenneth Curry spent Sunday with home folk.

Miss Marie Gratiot went to Poplar Bluff Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Galt and baby are at "Potter Farm."

Junior Hawkins visited relatives in Elvins last week.

Chas. Kent of Sabula was an Ironton visitor Monday.

Vernon Buckley and Paul Keith have employment in Chicago.

Arthur La Plante of St. Louis visited his mother in Arcadia Sunday.

Miss Alta Kindell of New York City is visiting her parents in Ironton.

Vincent Sutton, cashier of the Bank of Annapolis, was in Ironton Monday.

Mrs. Oscar Haywood of St. Louis visited her parents in Ironton the past week.

M. Hotson, of St. Louis, a former resident, visited his father in Ironton the past week.

Miss Mary Saline Ake departed Sunday on a visit to relatives in Little Rock, Arkansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Rauff of St. Louis arrived at Pilot Knob Monday to make their home.

Mrs. J. M. Hawkins and Junior will leave this week on a visit to relatives in Granite City, Ills.

J. M. Hawkins and family visited friends and relatives in Flat River and Elvins Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Kendal and Miss Mildred of Poplar Bluff visited Ironton relatives the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Stone of St. Louis visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Collins of Pilot Knob last week.

Mrs. S. L. Newman and Mrs. S. T. Gay are visiting J. G. Newman and family in Elvins, Mo., this week.

C. W. Tetwiler, of Poplar Bluff, an old time Ironton boy, spent a day of the past week with relatives in Ironton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Clarkson arrived from Louisiana last week. Miss Jeanette is also here from Lindenwood College.

Mrs. D. E. Fletcher of Arcadia is entertaining her sister, Mrs. Frank Lavelle, and daughter, Miss Dorris, of Cadott, Wisconsin.

Miss Margery Snyder, a daughter of the late Roy Snyder, of Chamolli, Mo., is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Fletcher in Arcadia.

Mrs. Elizabeth Ake and Mrs. M. A. Ake left Sunday for their home in Alexandria, Louisiana, after spending a couple of weeks with relatives and friends in Ironton.

Mrs. Dr. C. L. Blanks and daughter, Mrs. Ray Miller, of Mexico, Mo., visited relatives at Pilot Knob last week.

Mrs. Miller was on her way to join Mr. Miller, in Ponca, Oklahoma, where he has recently engaged in business.

Big Reductions just when you need them. Our Special June Sales means a substantial saving on every dollar's worth you buy during sale period.

LOPEZ STORE CO.

Pilot Knob Baptist Church.

Editor Register.—Please announce that I have been called and accepted as Pastor of Pilot Knob Baptist Church. I wish to state there will be services at the church on the first and fourth Sundays. Everyone is cordially invited to attend each service. We also ask Ironton Baptist Church to send pastor and as many as you can to meet with us on the fourth Sunday afternoon in June at two o'clock, to consider the propriety of ordaining Bro. J. T. Ford. Graniteview and Hopewell churches are invited to send messengers.

Rev. E. R. O'Connor, Pastor.

May 29, 1920.

ARCADIA-IRONTON AUCTION SALE

Fine Building Lots and the Beautiful Bresland Home, Saturday, June 12th, 1920.

"Fort Hill Park" has been selected as the name for our big new Subdivision, and on the above date we will turn over all of the lots and the splendid home to our Auctioneer with instructions to sell them for what they will bring.

This is, indeed, an opportunity of a life time to get a good home with all modern conveniences, such as electric lights, water works, heating plant, bath, fine shade, shrubbery, etc., or a choice building site at your own price.

Fort Hill Park is located right on the new State Highway between Arcadia and Ironton and it is the only available well-located ground in or around either town and is sure to build up rapidly.

Come on anytime now and look at Fort Hill Park; you will be pleased with the transformation and can select your lots and then be prepared to attend the sale and bid on them. A representative will be on the ground to show you around and explain the advantage of our development plan, show you the large, spacious lots, attractive frontage, views, etc.

Our terms will be made easy and you can turn your Liberty Bonds in at their face value on the deferred payments of your purchase.

A choice lot, valued at \$500.00, will be given away absolutely free, and other valuable souvenirs will also be given away during the sale. A famous Jazz Band will furnish music, there will be a parade and other attractions. In fact, this will be a big day in the Arcadia Valley and everybody should see that nothing prevents their attending this important sale.

BYRD-RECKER REALTY CO.

Benefit Social.

On Friday evening, June 4th, at the Academy of Music, a Piano and Violin Recital will be given by the pupils of Mrs. Mayfield Huff. Proceeds to be given to the Methodist church. General admission, 25c; reserved seats, 35c, on sale at Kandy Kitchen. Starts at 8 o'clock.

The Woman's Missionary Society will hold their Annual Rag Rug Sale in Dr. Marshall's Building, June 3, 2 to 5 P. M.

The Lutheran Church.

Divine services next Sunday, June 6th, will be as follows:

At Pilot Knob—Sunday School at 1:30 P. M.; sermon at 1 P. M.

At Ironton—7:30 P. M. Theme, "Praising the True God, God the Father, God, The Son, and God, The Holy Ghost." A cordial welcome extended to all.

H. C. HARTING, Pastor.

Clothes pressed and cleaned. Satisfaction guaranteed. Academy of Music building, Ironton. Phone 192.

GEO. TULLOCK.

Do you know that the Arcadia Valley is one of the finest summer resorts to be found anywhere east of the Rocky Mountains and that people in St. Louis and other large towns are coming here and will be glad of an opportunity to buy lots in beautiful Fort Hill Park? Don't overlook this unusual investment opportunity at the Big Auction Sale Saturday, June 12th, at 1 P. M.—Adv.

METHODIST MENTION.

Fort Hill—Sunday School, 9:45.

Preaching—Sunday, 11 A. M.

Prayer Meeting—Wednesday night at 8:00.

Union Church—Sunday School 9:45.

Preaching Sunday night 8, by Presiding Elder O. H. Duggins.

Holy Communion—9 P. M.

Prayer Meeting Wednesday night 8.

Choir Practice to-night (Wednesday) after prayer meeting.

The Third Quarterly Conference will be held at Union Church Sunday night immediately after the regular services. All members please be present.

The Board of Stewards are requested to meet at Union Church Thursday night at 8 o'clock.

The public is cordially invited to worship God with us.

H. E. STONE, Minister.

Big Money Saving Sale from June 5th, to and including, Saturday, June 19th. Reductions run from 10 to 25 per cent. discount; in some cases, more. Buy your Suits, Dresses, Shoes and Men's Clothing during Special Sale. Don't miss it.

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For Sale—Ford Touring Car in good condition, equipped with demountable rims.

A. P. SCHAEFER, Ironton.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to tender our heartfelt thanks to our neighbors and friends for their help and sympathy during the sickness and death of our dear little daughter, and sister, Edith Edna Boring, who departed this life May 25, 1920, at 10 o'clock P. M. Their kindness will long be remembered.

MR. AND MRS. W. A. BORING

AND CHILDREN.

Bellevue, May 31, 1920.

For Sale—Eight teen pure bred Duroc Jersey Pigs at weaning time, when they are two months old.

THOMAS SYMONDS, Arcadia, Mo.

For Rent—The McKisson Hotel property, west of courthouse. Apply to T. N. Ma rr, Ironton, Mo.

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THE LOCATION IS IDEAL,

and both Ironton and Arcadia must have many new homes to take care of the people who want to come to the famed Arcadia Valley.

In addition to the Bargains you will get in these Choice Lots, or this Fine Modern Home, with its own Water Works, Heating Plant, Beautifully Shaded Grounds, Electric Lights, etc., we will have a

BIG BAND CONCERT

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Free! ONE CHOICE LOT Free!
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Other Valuable Souvenirs will also be given away during the Sale. Don't Fail to Attend.

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